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1. The unserviceable parts of the destroyed bridge across the Hohenzollern Canal north of Kreuzbruch (N 53/Z 88) were being removed in late November 1950.
2. Vehicular traffic across the canal in the course of the Liebenwalde (N 53/Z 79) - Zehlendorf (N 53/Z 74) highway is being maintained by ferry. Bridge equipment and construction materials were shipped to the site in early December 1950. This indicates that it is intended to reconstruct the bridge soon. A pile-driver raft has been built; the drop hammer is said to weigh 30 hundredweights. Sheet piles were not seen, but only a number of square and pointed concrete piles about 15 meters long and 30 cm in diameter. These piles were being driven in. *

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* [REDACTED] Comment. This bridge was reported on previously. See [REDACTED] Although the structure is located on a second class road, its reconstruction has been included in the Land Brandenburg construction program for 1951 at an estimated cost of 80,000 eastmarks. See [REDACTED]

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